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SUBJECT: CU/ARTS: PROPOSED METROPOLITAN OPERA TOUR

IMPRESARIO OSCAR ALXAZAR OF CONCIERTOS ASOCIADOS, NEW YORK, VISITED EMBASSY MAY 13 TO DISCUSS SUBJECT TOUR DURING JULY/AUGUST, 1977. OPERAS WOULD BE IN CONCERT FORM WITHOUT CUSTUMES OR SCENARY. WE INFORMED ALCAZAR EMBASSY FEELS THAT ONLY IF METROPOLITAN ORCHESTRA AND LEADING STARS SUCH AS PRICE, MERRILL, SILLS, ETC., PARTICIPATE, WOULD OPERAS IN SUCH FORM HAVE DESIRED FAVORABLE LOCAL ACCEPTANCE GIVEN BUENOS AIRES' UNIQUE OPERATIC TRADITION OF ELABORATE PRODUCTIONS. WE ALSO EXPLAINED TO HIM EMBASSY WOULD BE PLEASED SUPPORT METROPOLITAN'S APPEARANCES AND GIVE FACILITATIVE ASSISTANCE, BUT NOT ABLE PROVIDE FINANCIAL AID GIVEN CURRENT BUDGETARY LEVEL. ALCAZAR INFORMED US HE PLANS MEET WITH DEPARTMENT IN NEAR FUTURE TO DISCUSS PROJECT IN THE LIGHT OF REACTIONS OF THIS AND OTHER EMBASSIES TO BE CONTACTED.
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